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Appln. No.: 10/675,284

Filed: September 30, 2003

For: APPLIANCE FOR VACUUM SEALING
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Attorney Docket No: 10367/2123

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